

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Application No.: 10/565,938	)	Examiner: NGUYEN, Chau N.
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Filed: January 26, 2006	)	
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For: METHOD FOR SHIELDING THE	)	Confirmation No.: 8289
MAGNETIC FIELD GENERATED BY	)	
AN ELECTRICAL POWER	)	
TRANSMISSION LINE AND	)	
ELECTRICAL POWER	)	
TRANSMISSION LINE SO SHIELDED	)	

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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents on the attached listing. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination under § 1.114.

Each document listed in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in a communication from the Chinese Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application. In a previous Information Disclosure Statement filed November 20, 2008, Applicants mistakenly represented that the November 20<sup>th</sup> Information Disclosure Statement was being filed within three months of the mailing date of the communication from the

Chinese Patent Office. This, however, was not the case as the Chinese communication was mailed August 1, 2008. As a result, Applicants have filed a Request for Continued Examination in this application and hereby submit this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, disclosing the same references as cited in the November 20<sup>th</sup> Information Disclosure Statement and correcting the erroneous statements made therein.

A copy of the U.S. patent publication is not enclosed. Copies of the foreign patent documents and English-language transcripts of the abstracts are enclosed.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies any of the documents as prior art against any claims in the application and Applicants determine that the cited documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

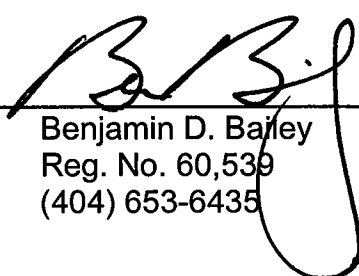
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Respectfully submitted,

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